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RAINFALL

Since April first	3.08
Long time average	0.86
Last year April 22	0.08

'JOCK'S WAGGIN' TONGUE

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Jock McIntyre, Editor

If you are contemplating the purchase of a new Range, install a BEACH. Beach Ranges are built in various styles and finishes to meet the individual demand for price and quality. They enjoy an enviable reputation for their economical and dependable performance in heating cooking and baking.

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Bill and Jack Gorshe are back looking their best and rarin' to go but can't.

It's hard to believe but old Doc Jock is getting better and better at repairing grease guns, bring yours in and get them working properly.

Bert Beingsner was in town last week greeting old friends and looking the best.

Our stock of small tools is complete and every price guaranteed and you just don't buy them for less than our prices.

Our very best wishes to a couple of grand guys Flo and Bud.

We like to please and it pleases us to know that we have pleased another customer.

Hugh and Clara Frame were district visitors last week both are feeling and looking fine.

Wm Penn and North Star oils and greases are "Still the Best."

Champion's April moisture is over three inches. No seeding of any consequence done.

Teacher: "Spell 'Straight'"
Johnny: "S-T-R-A-I-G-H-T"
Teacher: "Correct. What does it mean?"
Johnny: "Without ginger ale."

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Shower In Honor Of Miss Flo Gill

Miss Flo Gill, bride elect was the guest of honor at a shower sponsored by Mrs C Williamson, Mrs G Taylor, Mrs C McLean and Mrs M Sisson, was held in the Savoy Hotel on Saturday the 20th. The shower was held in the gaily decorated dining room from three o'clock in the afternoon until six o'clock in the evening. About seventy-five of Miss Gill's friends were present.

Among numerous other gifts a lovely Cedar Chest, was presented by Mrs C A Williamson, in a short address, from the district.

In the course of the afternoon a short program was enjoyed. Those taking part were Miss Marjorie Ditto, Miss Virginia Farmer and Miss G McLean of Nobleford.

A delicious lunch was then served at a table which had as a centerpiece a large doll dressed as a bride.

The sponsors wish to thank Mrs Cemulani for the use of her hotel dining room and others who helped in making the shower a success.

Rainfall Heaviest In Years

Rainfall has reached an all time high. Nearly 3.06 of moisture have fallen since April 1st. Since Wednesday last there has been a snowball of upwards to four inches and almost a steady drizzle up to this time of writing.

According to the report given us by Mr Clever the Searle Grain Elevator Agent the average for a period of years is 0.86 inches. Last year at this time we received only 0.08 inches.

The side roads are nearly impassable and the highways are sloughs of mud with the ditches on either side filling in the lower spots.

The farmers are beginning to get a little anxious to get to work on the land, several have mounted lights and generators on their tractors making it possible for them to operating day and night once it becomes dry enough so as to allow field work.

This year is now the latest that seeding has started for the last ten years.

Carmangay Farmers Boost Irrigation

This wet spring has not fooled the Carmangay farmers into thinking they are in a wet country for they are still pushing for irrigation.

Three different projects are under discussion, objections have been raised against two of the proposals but the third is forging ahead.

The first was to bring water from the Highwood River along the old stock watering canal into Mosquito Creek and then by ditch to Clear Lake. From there it would be taken to Carmangay fields. Considerable opposition to this scheme was met from farmers considerably farther north who did not want the ditches running through their holdings. A second project was the ditching of water

from the Lethbridge Northern main Canal. The same opposition was raised by the southern farmers.

A third project is now under consideration, namely, to bring water from Highwood River to Frankburg Lake and thence to two canals, one north and one south of the Little Bow

It is hoped that this arrangement will not effect the holdings of the local district so widely on account of the more limited scope of the plan.

The local committee are drawing up plans to lay before the P F R A at Regina.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs P Gatenby today at 2 o'clock.

Wedding Bells For Gill — Sanford

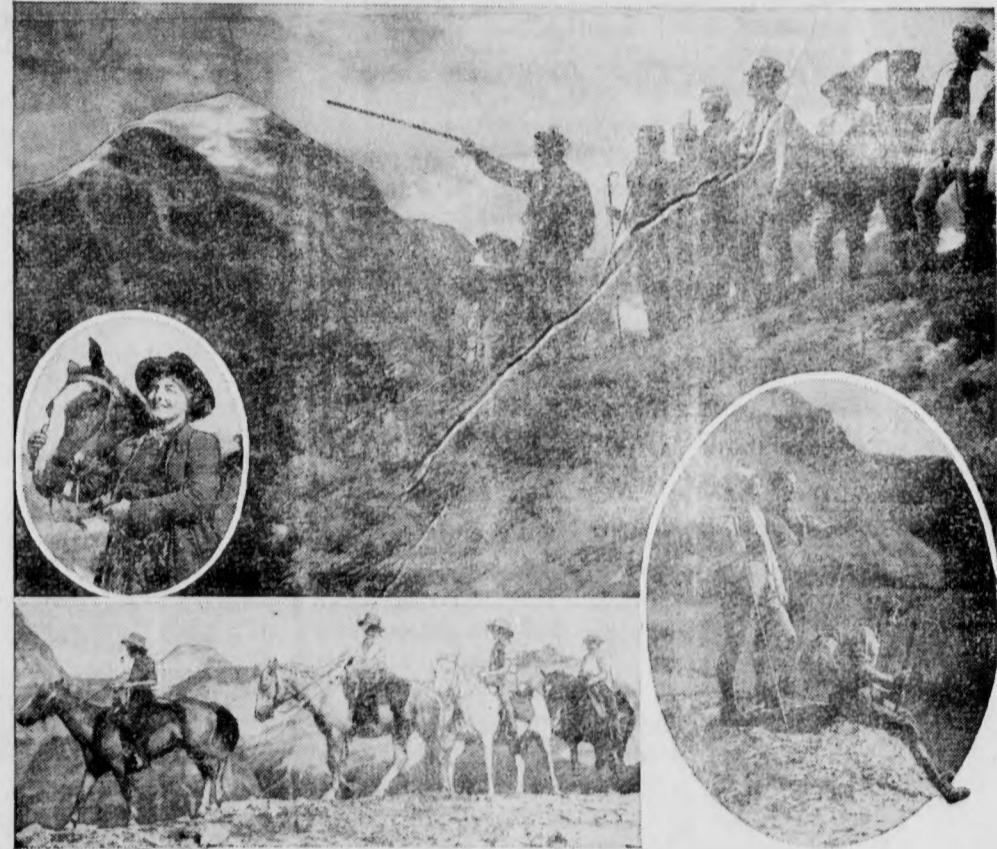
A quiet wedding was solemnized at the Anglican Church at Vulcan on Wednesday April 24 at 10 o'clock am with Canon Winters officiating when Flora Gill, daughter of Horace E Gill and Stanley M Sanford, son of Mr Marshall Sanford, were united in the Holy Bonds of Matrimony.

The bride was dressed in a blue knitted travelling suit with accessories to match, and corsage bouquet of cream rose buds.

The bride and bridegroom were attended by their respective fathers, and left for Calgary immediately after the ceremony for a short honeymoon. On their return they will take up their residence at Neniscam Alberta where the groom is

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Riding and Hiking in The Clouds



TWO highlights of the summer season in the Canadian Rockies will be the more than usually interesting outings planned by the Trail Riders and Trail Hikers of the Canadian Rockies. Their mid-summer excursions on horseback or by foot into beauty spots off the beaten path will be especially attractive this year to Canadians who will stay away from the United States because of high monetary exchange and to Americans barred from the holiday resorts of Europe and attracted to Canada by favorable exchange.

The Trail Riders will hold their five-day outing from July 26 to 30, following a spectacular trail from

Marble Canyon in British Columbia to Lake Louise. The Trail Hikers of the Canadian Rockies will have one central camp for four days in the magnificent Egypt Lake and Simpson Pass summit area. Their outing is from August 2 to 5.

Both these organizations have a world-wide membership. Anyone can join, the only qualifications being a love of the open and the willingness to share common pleasures with others. On the trail, members sleep in tents or Indian tepees; simple but satisfying meals are dished up in the cook-tent; trained packers and guides do the heavy work. All unnecessary frills are eliminated, however, bringing the outings right down

to the hearty basic pleasures of the out-of-doors and keeping the costs to a minimum. J. M. Gibson, Windsor Station, Montreal, secretary for both organizations, reports a growing interest in this type of holiday and expects record numbers to take part this year.

Other special entertainment planned for this year in the Banff-Lake Louise district includes such fascinating events as the Indian Days' celebrations at Banff, July 18-21; Banff Golf Week, August 18-21; Banff School of Fine Arts, August 1-31; the annual Stampede at Calgary, July 8-13; and the annual camp of the Alpine Club of Canada at Glacier Lake Camp, July 14-29.

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War Charities

It has been suggested that this district organize under the War Charities Act. The object being to make one annual collection for these charities and disperse the funds to the Red Cross, Canadian Legion, Salvation Army and the Y M C A. This would do away with having more than one collection each year. Other districts in the province have organized in this manner and we feel that something along this line should be done in Champion and surrounding districts.

Since wheat is the principal crop in this district, it was suggested that these contributions be made each fall after harvest.

Exchange For Tourists

Many tourists from United States will soon be on Canadian highways and byways and steps are being taken by the Foreign Exchange Control Board and the Canadian Travel Bureau to insure that every Canadian merchant, hotel and Service station operator, etc. know the strict regulations requiring him to pay the full ten percent on every American dollar offered by a visitor. Steps are also being taken to advise American visitors of their rights to the premium.

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a medium of service to its sub-
scribers and it should be clearly
understand by everyone that
statements or sentiments ex-
pressed in such communications
are those of the writers only
and not those of this paper.

Crows and Scarecrows

So you're going to let the
crows see where your tatties
are, was the salutation of a shrewd
Scots parson to a member of his flock, who trudged
along the road bearing the traditional scarecrow to be erected
in a newly planted potato patch. The remark must have penetra-
ted, for on his return journey
the parson saw the scarecrow
lying deserted in the ditch by
the roadside.

Crows are crafty creatures
and it is by experience rather
than instinct that they associate
a scarecrow with some tempting
forbidden fruit. Crows are long
lived and consequently have
long memories.

Pests far worse than crows
prey on farmers crops remarks
B. Leslie Emslie, chemist agron-
omist. Crows may be seen and
heard, shot or shoo'd away, thou-
gh not to stay, while these other
pests are micro organisms whose
ravages, however, can be plainly
seen at harvest time.

Many of the microscopic pests
are fungi, some of which may
infest the soil, but most of them
are carried on the seed itself
for instance, scab and rhizoctonia
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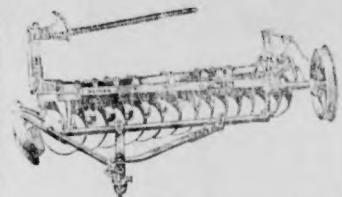
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MAIN STREET

Mr OP Thomas was a business visitor in Calgary over the week end

Miss Irene Siler is patient in the Vulcan hospital

Mr. GL Depue and Mrs Latiff were Calgary visitors Monday

Roy Robinson was a Champion visitor over the week end.

Mr J Brown Sr was a Calgary visitor last week

Mr Orr is driving a new car this week

Mr T Kramer and Evelyn were Calgary visitor over the week end.

Gertude McLean of Nobleford was a visitor of Elsie McLean over the week end.

CH Sutton was a Calgary visitor last week

Mrs. C. G. Taylor returned from Vancouver Tuesday.

Jim McNaghton was a business visitor in Calgary for a week.

Jack Robinson of the local bank staff was visiting his home in Calgary over the week end.

Mr. Wm. J. Klein was a business visitor at Calgary for a week

A numbr of ladies agreeably surprised Mrs. O. Hargrave on Sunday evening, at her home, to celebrate her birthday

Mrs Broadribb has returned to her home at Vegerville after visiting with her daughter Mrs. K. Butler

Mrs. C A Williamson left Teusday evening for Vancouver to attend the graduation exercises at the Royal Jubilee hospital, where her daughter Ada is graduating this year

Louie Selland is a Calgary visitor this week

Mr. Dave Elton, mayor of Lethbridge was a Champion visitor when on his way to Calgary on Wednesday

Word has been received by the Chronicle that Bobby Gardner has joined the Calgary Highlanders, and is in the same as Eric Diemert

CARMANGAY

At the annual meeting of the women's Auxilliary of the hospital Saturday, the same officers were re elected, the attendance was small on account of bad road

For the future the Red cross meeting will be held on Saturday evenings

Mrs Reiter has returned to Carmangay for awhile from New Westminster, she will visit at the home of her sons, Johnny and Frank Hauser.

The Country Women's Club will meet next Wednesday at the home of Mrs F Glendenning

To help the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel which for years has given this Diocese £1500 annually to help maintain its country mission work, the Diocese has asked has asked the Society to reduce its grant to £1000, believing that the Church people of the Diocese will more than made up this reduction of £500 or \$2200 through their response to this.

SPECIAL APPEAL

The Missionary Society of the Canadian Church asks this Diocese to give \$800 to a Special Fund of \$50,000 to assist its Western Mission Work so that it can guarantee a minimum stipend of \$60 per month to all its Mission Clergy, and to assist hard pressed Missionary Dioceses.

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presently employed.

Mr and Mrs Roy Telford, sister and brother in law of the bride groom, motored from Erickson BC to be present at the wedding.

I. Ditto is painting the outside of his house this week with the help of D. Howe

Mr and Mrs. W. F. Bozarth have taken up residence on their farm for the summer.